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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Gerard Chauvel, et al.

Serial No.: 08/890,894

Filed: 07/10/97

For: MULTIPLE PROCESSOR APPARATUS HAVING A PROTOCOL PROCESSOR INTENDED FOR THE EXECUTION OF A COLLECTION OF INSTRUCTIONS IN A REDUCED NUMBER OF OPERATIONS

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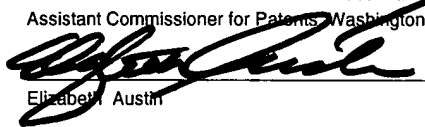
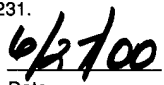
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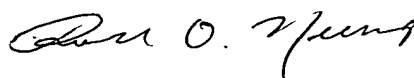
Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), Applicants respectfully petitions the Commissioner for an extension of the shortened statutory period for response in the above-identified Application.

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